Illinois Department of Revenue

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Municipal Economic Development Fund Payments

To: Owners of Qualified Solid Waste Energy Facilities

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For information or forms...

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Beginning on and after January 1, 2001, vou must

- report payments that you receive for kilowatt hours sold to electric utilities, and
- pay the Illinois Department of Revenue the amount due to the Municipal Economic Development Fund.

How does this differ from the way I reported in the past?

Since February 1999, you have been required to report your payments received for electricity sold and pay the amount due to the Office of the State Treasurer.

Is there a new form?

Yes. We have enclosed a supply of the Form IDR-909, Qualified Solid Waste Energy Facility Payment Form, on which to file. You may photocopy one of these blank forms for future use, or you may order additional forms by visiting our Web site at www.revenue.state.il.us, calling our fax-on-demand service at 217 785-3400, or calling our Forms Order Line at 1 800 356-6302.

When is my form and payment due?

You must file Form IDR-909 and pay any amount due on or before the 15th day of the month following the month for which you are reporting. (For example, a form filed for April is due on or before May 15.) If the due date falls on a weekend or holiday then the return is due on the next business day.

Can I file a single form if I own more than one facility?

No. You must file and pay separately for each qualified facility you own.

Am I required to file a form even if no payment is due?

Yes. You must file Form IDR-909 each month. If the utility has not paid you for the electricity you sold them, you will report "no payment received" in Step 3 and write "0" on Line 8 in Step 4.

Has the information that I report changed?

Yes. You must now report the electric utility's service month and year for the kilowatt hours that you have sold and for which you are making payment.

Has the rate changed?

No. The rate remains six-tenths of a mill (\$0.0006) per kilowatt hour.